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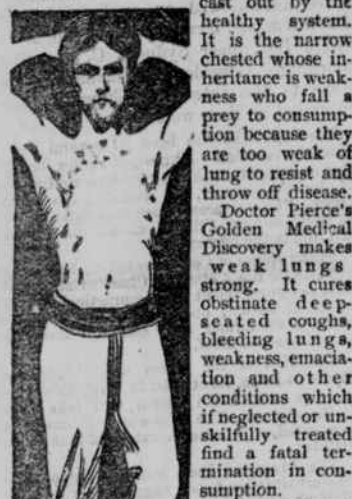
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## FARMERS' CLUB NOTES.

The March meeting of the Woodlawn Farmers' Club assembled at the home of Mr. C. Lukens on the afternoon of the 14th and was called to order by the President, F. H. Wilkinson. The February meeting, on account of sickness in the family of Lewis Gillingham, was not held there as announced, but, instead, a joint meeting of the Housekeepers' and Farmers' Clubs were held at Sherwood Hall. The Farmers' Club secretary not being present at that meeting had no report.

The minutes of the January meeting were read and approved.

The committee on subjects for discussion called attention to a recent speech by the editor of the Country Gentleman condemning the government's land irrigation policy.

Mr. A. L. Lukens did not feel that he could quite agree with the editor of the Country Gentleman that the said policy is altogether bad, "a blessing turned to a curse," but the opinion seemed to prevail with the majority of the club members that the development of the west has been carried on too rapidly and so, by opening up large territories of fertile land to cultivation has resulted in over production of many agricultural products, forcing the price below that of profitable production and also lowered the values of farm lands.

In the present scheme of irrigation the eastern farmer helps bear the burden of expense and the cheap products so raised will compete with his on the market. Thus the eastern farmer helps to create their own competition, to weave the noose that will encircle their own necks.

The secretary then read an article from the February "Success" on the progress of scientific agriculture.

The critical committee then made their report which is appended hereto.

Several members spoke of their cows failing in milk but no cause could be assigned.

Supper being announced the club then took a recess.

After supper the club was called to order and several members made statements concerning the condition and management of the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Electric Railway, especially the Mt. Vernon branch.

The road bed is reported to be in extremely bad condition and the bridges dangerous. Trains are invariably late entailing serious inconvenience and loss of time to those going back and forth to their business.

The milk car is very irregular, causing great annoyance to the dairymen and milk is continually being stolen from their cans. One dairymen reported having lost as high as fifteen gallons of milk in one month. The cars are too heavy for hand breaks and the air breaks are generally out of order.

When the trains leave Alexandria going south the crew rarely ever know when or where to meet trains going in the opposite direction and often have to keep a boy running ahead with a flag to avert accident. Freight is not properly distributed. For instance packages for Belmont or Riverside are likely to be carried to Mt. Vernon and vice versa. The cars are unclean and frequently uncomfortable in bad weather.

Especially on several occasions of large national gatherings at Washington, when many people have desired to visit Mt. Vernon, has the management of the road been so frightfully bad that it is fast becoming notorious as a national nuisance.

A committee was appointed to report at the next meeting resolutions embodying the grievances of the community that the club represents, and insist on better service.

The secretary was directed to communicate to Dr. Woodward the appreciation of this club in the recent move of the Health Department of Washington requiring milk dealers to wash the milk cans before returning them to the shippers.

The President appointed the following committees:

On subjects for discussion, A. R. Harrison and H. Pierson.

Critical committee, J. N. Gibbs and J. P. H. Mason.

The Club then adjourned to meet at Walnut Hill, the residence of Mrs. Anna S. Walton, April 11.

CHAS. M. PIDEON, Secretary.

Woodlawn, Va., March 14, 1903.

To the President of the Woodlawn Farmers' Club:

Your committee, in making their report, would say that they are so familiar with the premises of our host that they do not deem it necessary to go regularly over the whole of them at this time.

The field crops of winter grain and grass are making a fair showing, and under favorable conditions, will doubtless make a good yield. In going through the stables we find a fine lot of stock of mixed breeds which would seem to show that the patrons of the dairy desire something better than the products of Holsteins. His ensilage is in good condition. The advantage of this method of

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feeding will probably be discussed by the members of the club.

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We do not agree with some who have remarked in our hearing that the son is a better farmer than the father when we remember the pride our senior host took in his handsome herd of Jerseys. The circumstances have simply changed. A milk dairy requires quite a different training. All honor to both and may their shadows never grow less. The father doubtless finds salary a better paying crop than dairying whether butter or milk. There is, however, one thing he may look back to with much pride and satisfaction—his crop of men and women.

In conclusion we would call attention to the fact that it was in this room that this organization had its birth more than thirty-two years ago and that it is largely to this family it owes its subsequent success.

Very respectfully,  
YOUR CRITICAL COMMITTEE,  
CHAS. M. PIDEON, Sec'y.

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